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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA JOHN F. CORCORAN, CLERK ROANOKE DIVISION BY:

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ALFRED RAY STROUPE III, Petitioner,) Civil Action No. 7:06-cv-00150
v.	FINAL ORDER
LARRY W. JARVIS, WARDEN, Respondent.) By: Hon. James C. Turk) Senior United States District Judge

In accordance with the written memorandum opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ADJUDGED AND ORDERED

that this petition for writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §2254, shall be and hereby is **DISMISSED** as untimely, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2244(d); and that this action is stricken from the active docket of this court.

The Clerk is directed to send certified copies of this order and the accompanying memorandum opinion to the petitioner and to counsel of record for the respondent.

ENTER: This glu day of May, 2006.

Senior United States District Judge